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Land Owners Agree to Settle Boundaries

New Surveys Will Be Made and State Sell Access Land to Owners

Land Commissioner Bascom Giles of Austin was here Friday and met a large number of land owners whose land boundaries have been in dispute for a number of years. About 150 land owners are involved in Randall, Swisher and Castro counties.

The meeting was very harmonious, since Mr. Giles is very anxious to get these boundaries settled.

The following basis of settlement was reached:

G. G. Foster, county surveyor of Randall county, was assigned to make surveys of the sections affected by these uncertain boundaries. Howard Trigg of Amarillo and W. J. Williams of Plainview, licensed surveyors, have been employed by Mr. Foster in making these surveys.

All of the land which is affected by the boundary irregularities will be surveyed. Present owners will be allowed to buy the excess land which is found within the boundary of each section. The state will issue a patent and clear title to any land which is thus surveyed under this agreement.

Mr. Foster states that Mr. Giles is the first land commissioner who has ever attempted to make a settlement of this excess land. He wants to get the surveys completed and settlement made on the excess land by June 1. This was agreeable to all of the land owners who attended the meeting Friday.

Mr. Foster is notifying all of the land owners whose property is affected, and hopes to get started on making these new surveys at once.

McMurry College Making Drive to Raise Endowment

PRESIDENT HAROLD COOKE

The campaign to raise $1,750,000 for McMurray College, Abilene, is underway in Northwest Texas. Dr. Harold G. Cooke, president of the College, was in Canyon recently and stated that the campaign was making splendid progress.

A statement regarding the campaign is being published this week in the News.

McMurray College is owned by the Methodist Church. A vigorous campaign is being waged in all Methodist churches. About half of the fund which has been set as the goal has already been subscribed.

The college is asking citizens to buy War Bonds in their own counties and send these bonds to the college to apply on this endowment. Local quotas will be boosted in this manner, and the educational institution will receive material aid through this method.

Farm Bureau Will Discuss Current Problems Feb. 14

New and critical issues facing farmers in 1944 will be discussed in a meeting at Amarillo, Monday, Feb. 14.

The meeting is sponsored by the Texas Farm Bureau Federation, and is one of a series of 15 being held over the state to consider problems of paramount importance affecting agriculture.

Among the major problems, and possible solutions, to be discussed include adequate machinery, supplies and labor, reasonable floor prices under all farm and livestock products on a year-in and year-out basis, subsidies and rollback prices on farm products, parity prices to include increased labor costs, should the farmer have a voice in setting fair prices for his own products, and necessary legislation and appropriations adequate for the successful operation of Farm Credit, Rural Electrification, AAA, Soil Conservation, Extension Service, and Farm Security.

Principal speakers will be J. Walter Hammond, president of the Texas Farm Bureau Federation, and Judge C. C. Randle of Ellis county, chairman of the state committee on membership.

W. M. Deck of Perryton, member of the state board of directors from this district will preside. The meeting will start at 10 a. m. in the Herring Hotel at Amarillo.

Four Women Do Much Red Cross Sewing

Credit should be given to Mrs. Ida M. Lowes, Mrs. Harvey Cash, Mrs. George Small and Mrs. W. J. Wooten for the sewing they have done for the Red Cross.

Mrs. Lowes has made 24 pairs of pajamas, (25 pairs were the quota for this chapter), 13 women's bed jackets, 6 bedside bags, 5 men's bed jackets and 11 men's bath robes.

Mrs. Cash has made 12 men's bath robes.

Mrs. Small's contribution was 12 men's bath robes and two bed shirts.

Mrs. Wooten completed 14 cushion covers and 12 bedpan covers.

LEFT FOR CHILDRESS

Miss Frances Wilroy closed her work as Home Demonstration Agent in Randall county Monday. She reported Tuesday at Childress to begin her new work.

No successor has been named to take over this work here.

Mrs. Alva Thornburg and son, Alva, of White Deer are visiting with Misses Juanita and Lilia Thornburg and Mrs. Alva Thornburg.

89th Birthady Is Celebrated By Mrs. Boatman

By Polly Winstead

"You are just as old as you feel," so the saying goes, and to Mrs. Emma Boatman of Canyon, life is just in its prime. Mrs. Boatman is one of the few residents of Canyon who can say that she has celebrated her 89th birthday, which was Panuary 30.

Emma Spivey was born January 30, 1855 in Nacogdoches County, Texas, and she can proudly say that she lived in this state the first 60 years of her life. In 1861 she started to school in a log cabin, where she studied from split log benches, and the room was ventilated by pulling a board down from the wall. Actually she never attended more than nine months of school, but at the age of 89, Mrs. Boatman speaks perfect English because she educated herself as her children attended school. In her youth the Bible was the main book studied, and it was not neglected; however, literary subjects were lacking.

This adventurer can tell many stories about the Texas Rangers, Indian raids, ox carts, and particularly about the Mexican War and the Civil War. One of Mrs. Boatman's greatest assets is her uncanny ability to remember dates. In telling of her adventures she makes them twice as valuable by being fortunate enough to tell the year and the month they occurred.

On January 21, 1875, Miss Spivey became the bride of Jesse Boatman, a farmer from Nacogdoches County. In 1925 they celebrated their golden wedding anniversary in Slaton, before his death in the summer of 1926. They had nine children, five of whom are living now.

Although Mrs. Boatman has been a cripple for the last 40 years, she has been a giant spiritually and mentally to her many friends and acquaintances. Before coming to Canyon in November, 1943, to make her home with her daughter, Mrs. A. B. Russell, she was a resident of Ferndale, Washington.

In honor of her 89th birthday, she received over 165 greetings, coming from the South Pacific, Tennessee, New Jersey, Washington, and Texas. Saturday, January 29, the King's Daughters Class of the First Baptist Church gave her a surprise dinner.

Mrs. E. T. Bowman, Mrs. T. W. Langston, and Mrs. J. T. Burnett gave a short program of readings and Bible scriptures, and the group sang several songs. Those attending the dinner were: Mesdames E. T. Bowman, I. M. Steen, G. B. Combs, T. S. Trowbridge, T. F. Fain, Ola Ridgway, T. W. Langston, E. B. Anthony, J. D. Key, Minnie Laughery, W. J. Hinkle, W. I. Wester, and Mr. and Mrs. Russell.

HAD OPERATION

Miss Hellen Hickman underwent a major operation at an Amarillo hospital Monday. Miss Hickman is College Nurse, and is reported to be improving very nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Haydon of Lubbock visited their daughter, Mrs. W. M. Thompson, Sunday.

Bond Sales Are Near Half Mark

Outside Firms Buying Bonds Which Apply on the Quota For Randall County

War Bond sales in Canyon up to Tuesday night amounted to $81,407.95. The quota for the 4th War Loan Drive amounts to $173,000, leaving a total of $91,592.25 to be sold during the present campaign.

Sales are being made at the First National Bank, the Olympic Theatre and the postoffice.

Several of the large companies which operate in Randall county have made purchases of bonds locally during the past week. However, the goal for bonds is far from being in sight.

With tax paying time being at an end, County Chairman R. H. Wright hopes that sales will greatly increase this week. Members of local committees are asked to see their neighbors and urge them to buy their bonds at once and not wait until near the end of the campaign.

Frank Lester of Pioneer Family Died Recently

Frank W. Lester, a member of one of Canyon's most prominent pioneer families, died suddenly of a heart attack at his home in El Paso, on January 1.

The survivors are: his wife, Mrs. Mary Lester and two daughters of El Paso; his mother, Mrs. L. T. Lester of Harlingen; his sister, Mrs. Blanche Hager of Kansas City, Mo.; his two brothers, C. D. Lester of Harlingen and R. L. Lester of San Antonio. His father, the late L. T. Lester, passed away ten years ago this January.

Frank Lester lived in the Panhandle and in Canyon in the pioneer days and with the other Lesters had a prominent part in the development of this country. He and his brothers were associated with their father in the cattle industry. The father established the first bank in Canyon and for many years the family was actively connected with the banking business of this section. Their liberal donations to the colleges, the churches and other organizations will long be remembered. The mother and daughter also contributed much to the civic, social, religious and cultural life of the community.

Demos Asked to Pay $100 to the Nat'l Campaign

Democrats of Randall county are asked to contribute $100 to the National Democratic campaign fund.

Clyde W. Warwick, county chairman, received an urgent request yesterday that this fund be raised and forwarded to the State Chairman on or before Feb. 26.

Local citizens who wish to make contributions to the national fund are asked to leave their contributions at the News office and the money will be forwarded to state headquarters.

Deputy Collector to Make Income Tax Reports Feb. 28

A deputy from the office of Internal Revenue offices will be at the First National Bank on February 28.

The services of this deputy are free to the people of the community who wish aid in completing their income tax forms.

Gordon Lyons Will Report to Navy

Gordon Lyons went to Lubbock last Wednesday and was accepted in the navy. He has the rating of Electrician Mate, 1/c. He will be assigned to ship repair work because of his skill as an electrician, and will be called into service in about 30 days.

The Southwestern Public Service Company has not announced who will be in charge of the local office during the absence of Mr. Lyons.

ON VISIT TO SON

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Flesher left Saturday for Oregon where they will visit their son, Captain W. J. Flesher, Jr., for two weeks. Capt. Flesher was in the National Guard when it went into federal service and has rapidly advanced.

Mr. Flesher is a member of the Randall County Selective Service Board, and Mrs. Flesher is Justice of the Peace, Precinct No. 4.

Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Duff moved from Houston last week to make their home in Canyon. Mrs. Duff is the daughter of Mrs. W. R. Childress.

Record Poll Taxes Paid

Lt. Persons Says Local Paper and Red Cross Fine

2nd Lt. Glyn N. Persons, Company "K" 120th Infantry, Camp Aaterbury, Indiana, in a recent letter to The News writes:

"I wish you would check to see that you have my correct address and also notify me if my subscription has run out. To the people at home the paper may seem to be only an ordinary thing, but let me say here and now to the boys and men in the service the home town paper is worth its weight in gold. After all, it is home that we think about the most, and news of any of our friends and loved ones and also the general news of our home town community is invaluable to us not only as a morale builder but it keeps us up todate on what's happening; and when that long awaited day comes when we can be home again, it will be easier for us to adjust ourselves to civilian life and return to the normal way of living.

"If anyone, who has sons or friends in the service would like to give them a present that would really be appreciated, I would suggest a subscription to the home town newspaper.

"While I am on the subject of good things that can and are being done by the people on the outside for the men in the service, I want to say that all contributions to the Red Cross are an investment to and for the men in the service. If the civilians could see the good work that is being done by the various Red Cross Chapters in such matters as financial distress, when the result or failure to procure immediate financial aid would mean the impossibility of a furlough or the lack of medical attention to a service man's family, they would give and be glad to give knowing that they might be in some way helping their own loved one who is in the service. The Red Cross also does lots of other things to help the soldier. For an example each company in my Regiment received a large box containing sweaters, scarfs and hoods which had been knitted by women who belong to the different Red Cross chapters. These items of clothing are not issued; so it is needless to say any more except I have heard many men say of the cold mornings, 'I didn't realize the Red Cross did things like this.' The good thing about that is that the Red Cross not only helps the men on this side but the largest part of their work is done overseas.

"In the last Canyon News that I read I saw that you were getting all lined out for the Fourth War Loan Drive and I say you would be amazed if you knew exactly how many of the soldiers have allotments of pay for the purchase of war bonds.

"They are not only fighting with rifles but they are also buying their share of the Bonds and Stamps; so I suggest this as a possible slgan: "THEY ARE BUYING THEIR FREEDOM WITH BLOOD, BULLETS AND BONDS. HOW ABOUT YOU?

". . . I am now at Camp Atterbury, Indiana, and am very well pleased with the Camp. It is one of the nicest camps I have been in. I am sorry that I can tell you nothing of my outfit or of the trainging that we are going through as you would no doubt find it very interesting.

"We have had plenty of snow and cold weather; however, it has been rather mild the last few days. The climate here is very much like that of the Panhandle and the country is practically the same except that there are more trees here than at home. The people are very friendly and that they seem to like the men of our Division very much is as good a compliment as they could pay us."

Leon Smith Gets Commission

Ensign Oscar Leon Smith, son of Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Smith of Canyon, was graduated January 20 from U. S. Naval Reserve Midshipmen's School at the University of Notre Dame, South Bend, Indiana.

Ensign Smith is a graduate of W. T. High and West Texas State College. He visited two days last week with his family before reporting to Quonset Point, R. I., for further duty.

Girl Scouts Elect New Officers

Twenty-seven Girl Scouts with two leaders met recently to elect new officers for the spring semester; President, Suzanne Stephenson; vice-president, Dorothy Lee Carter; secretary, Suzanne Owens; treasurer, Bettye Duers; critic, Alice Woods; parliamentarian, La Nell Harmon.

DOUBLE PINCERS MOVEMENT

Deferments Harder to Get As Men of Military Age Lined Up for Army

First Farm Appeal Upheld As Local Board Checks on Necessary Farm Laborers

Every available man of military age will be in training by the middle of 1944 is word received by local Selective Service boards.

More regulations were effective Tuesday which will add to the present confusion of local boards, but which will increase the number of men inducted during the coming months.

The Randall county board was upheld on the first appeal made by a farm boy. This boy will be sent to the induction station Feb. 17. The board is reviewing the case of every single boy on the farm, and in case that it is found farm units are not sufficient to justify granting deferment, the boy is to be called for service in the armed service.

Several other appeals have been made by farm boys. Under the new regulations these boys must take their physical examinations before the records are sent to the appeal boards.

Deferments are practically wiped out under the new regulations.

Notices have been mailed to 42 men to go to the induction station at Lubbock for physical examination on Feb. 17. A number of these men are being transferred to other boards since they are now living outside of Randall county.

Wagy Mother Died Jan. 25

Mrs. W. S. Wagy received word of the death of her mother, Mrs. M. L. Evans, January 25. Mrs. Evans had been in the hospital in Burlington, Iowa for the past seven months. She will be remembered here as she visited for some time, several years ago, in the home of Mrs. Wagy.

MARRIAGE LICENSE

Lauern K. Larson and Miss Leona Trnen Mann, Jan. 27.

Glenn A. Dorris and Miss Lauerne Ellison, Jan. 31.

MRS. MORGAN IMPROVED

Mrs. S. R. Morgan is reported recovering in an Amarillo hospital. She broke her hip in a recent fall, and double pneumonia followed.

L. T. Hill of Wichita, Kans., spent last week in the home of his daughter, Mrs. Burney Slack, and his brother, D. S. Hill. Mr. Hill formerly lived here.

Mrs. Wm. Schmitz, Mrs. Charles Gerald and Sgt. George Schmitz spent Sunday visiting with Mrs. Lucy Schmitz Jesko and family at Muleshoe.

Miss Margaret Stewart, who teaches school at Abernathy, spent the week end with her father, D. M. Stewart.

Pvt. Jackie N. Cooper from Clemson University came Monday for a week's visit with homefolks.

March of Dimes Sends $220 to the President

With complete returns unavailable, the "National March of Dimes" fund to fight infantile paralysis is already $220.00 larger thru the cooperation of the people in the vicinity of Canyon. $110 of this is in the Randall County fund.

Organizations and celebrations that have reported to date are: Dance, sponsored by High School, $9.25; Dance, sponsored by College students, $3.00; Wheel Chair Jar, $55.37; Women's Presbyterian Auxiliary, $2.00; Lions Club, $5.00; Woman's Book Club, $5.00; Cheerio Club, $4.00; Canyon Elementary School P. T. A., $5.00; Presbyterian Guild, $4.00; West Texas Demonstration School, $10.50, Canyon Grade School, $30.66; Games Tournament, $76.05; Canyon High School and other contributions $10.75.

Miss Irene Angel was given a vote of thanks by the chairman for her work in putting this drive over.

Furthermore, Mr. Wooten wishes to thank the public for donations to the Dimes Jar and for such unified effort in all the fields of endeavor to raise money.

"It may be that the epidemic last year made us more conscious of this drive for we raised about twice any previous amount," said Mr. Wooten.

Camp Ground Closed For Duration

The Methodist Campground is closed and will not be opened until next June, according to information given by Frank R. Phillips.

STORK SPECIALS

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Brown are the parents of a six pound girl, born Saturday, January 29.

A son, Jerry Don was born to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ham January 11. Mrs. Ham is the former Helen Hutchinson of Canyon. Mr. and Mrs. Ham now live in Vancouver, Washington.

A son was born to Sgt. and Mrs. John Mauer Jan. 28 at the Hereford hospital.

Born Saturday, a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Art Hawks.

Mrs. W. E. Tucker has just returned from Ft. Worth where she attended the celebration of her mother's 94th birthday.

A. Dowd, Jr., of Chicago, nephew of J. C. Dowd, stopped for a two day visit as he was enroute to California.

Arthur Ward Hawks, C. C. M. of 31st U. S. Naval Const. Batt., Co. A. is visiting his wife and daughters for ten days.

Mrs. W. A. Cook was tagen to a specialist at Quanah Hospital, Tuesday, for an operation.

Big Increase Number Voters

Surprise at Record Due to Large number of Men in the Armed Services

Randall county has an increase of 610 possible voters over the high record of 1941. When a check-up was made Tuesday of poll tax receipts issued, Tax Collector M. E. Cantrell found that 2,749 citizens have qualified as voters for 1944 as compared with 2139 two years ago.

Of the poll tax receipts issued, 2012 were at the office in Canyon and 737 at the office in South Amarillo.

This does not account for the large number of persons over 60 years of age who are not required to secure a poll tax receipt or an exemption in order to vote in the elections. Randall county now has a possibility of 3,000 or more voters, according to these figures.

The large increase of poll tax payments was a distinct surprise. With so many men in the armed services, it is believed that there might be a reduction in the payment of poll taxes, instead of this great increase.

However, every available living space in both Canyon and South Amarillo is taken by people who have moved here since the war started, and this accounts for the increase in poll tax payments.

Just how many of the qualified voters will take time to go to the polls in the two primaries and the general election in November is a serious question in the minds of the candidates.

Forger Takes Own Life; Had Passed Bad Checks Here

A forger who passed at least two hot checks in Canyon in December committed suicide in jail at Stephenville, Thursday night. He was John Dudley Clegg, 24, who lived at Comanche, but had been working out of Amarillo for several months.

Sheriff M. E. Cantrell and Ranger Raymond Watters trailed Clegg on his spree of passing forged checks in Canyon, Amarillo, Tulia, Lubbock, Shamrock, Childress, and on to Stephenville. He used the name of Tommy Adkins, and worked on ranches in this section.

He admitted being an army deserter.

Sheriff Cantrel has the file of this man, and the checks he passed at his office.

Annual Report Made to County Library Board

Mrs. S. D. Burton made the annual report to the Randall County Library Board, which met in regular session Tuesday, Feb. 1, with Miss Irene Angel presiding in the absence of Mrs. Joe H. Black, Board Chairman.

Circulation reports for the year 1943 revealed a total of 15,265. Monthly average circulation was 414 copies of fiction, 202 copies of non-fiction, 207 copies of juvenile books and 451 periodicals. The average in fiction and juvenile books has dropped while that of non-fiction and periodicals has increased over the 1942 circulation. War conditions and varying stress on reading by teachers were given as probable causes of the changes.

The library now has 7,546 volumes and subscribes to 35 magazines. Individuals in town regularly pass on to the library enough other magazines to bring the total monthly receipts to 65 or 70 magazines. In addition to the regular books, the Boy Scout Library, which was begun by the Rotary and Lions Clubs, now has 110 volumes.

Some new books that might be of special interest are: Fiction—"O River Remember," "Kate Fennigate," "Also the Hills," "So Little Time," "Hungry Hill," "Capricornia"; Non-fiction—"Here is Africa," "Africa's Facts and Forecasts," "The Unknown County! Canada and Her People," "Journey Among Warriors" by Eve Curie, "The Best Plays 1941-1942," "War and Children, a Message to American Parents" by Anna Freud and Dorothy Tiffany who have been operating three Hampstead nurseries for the Foster Parent's Plan for War Children in England.

Last year at inventory time in January only two books were missing. These books were returned at a later date. This year two are missing.

Mrs. Burton, who was re-elected by the board to a two-year term as librarian, believes that these two books will come back also.

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The Case of Atrocities

The American people were shocked Saturday at the revelation of inhuman atrocities which the Japs have dealt out to captured Americans. While we were expecting such treatment, in light of the early stories which have come out of China and the Philippines, all were hoping that the Japs might possibly have relented and decided to be human in their dealings with American prisoners.

The demand of Americans that those responsible for this war should be punished will not fall on deaf ears.

The Japanese and the German war-lords will be punished. But will this satisfy those families whose boys have fallen victims of the terrible atrocities which are being practiced?

A wave of bloody resentment is sweeping over the nation. We are demanding revenge. In 1918 we took World War I as a matter of course, and blamed all of this misery on Kaiser Bill. Yet we allowed him to retire in luxury, while another monster was being nutured by the same people who allowed the Kaiser to build his war machine.

We are told that we should love our enemies. But this is a pretty hard thing to do when those enemies show they are inhuman and capable of the worst crimes that mankind can devise.

One thing is sure and certain, our fighting men have long ago learned the cruel lessons which the Japs have used since the war started, and very few prisoners are now being taken. By the time this war is over the Japs will be reduced to the status of a secondary power.

A crusade has been started in the Methodist Church, started by the Bishops, for the purpose of demanding from Congress a lasting peace It is unlikely that anyone in America has much of an idea as to what constitutes permanent peace. A lot of people think they know the answer, but their solutions are confusing. However, the millions of letters which will be sent to Washington, urging that the peace this time shall be just and permanent will have a good effect upon Congress. In 1918-19 we quit before the job was finished. This time we are going to stay at the job until the warlords are removed and punished.

The United Nations have finally put the lid on Argentina, the hot bed of Nazi spies. Attention is now being directed toward Spain, another Nazi stronghold, which must be cleaned up.

This Is Election Year

Voters of Randall county will be called upon to hire a lot of public servants this year in the primary elections and the general election in November.

A word to the voters should be timely before the campaign gets properly warmed up, and the period of "mud-slinging" is reached—if such an unfortunate period does arrive.

Being a candidate is no snap.

Being a candidate is no joke. It is a serious business. The candidate is forced, under the primary system, to put out a lot of money, and to spend much valuable time if he expects to become elected. The candidate has a big investment in his campaign. Therefore, he is going to do everything possible to protect his investment, and to win the race if humanly possible.

No one can blame any citizen for asking for a public office. If public offices were not so attractive and were not a financial gain to the holders, the public would suffer for the lack of qualified candidates. Pay to our public officials should be large enough to attract candidates. But the pay should not be so large that graft and greed could enter into the campaign or tempt those who hold public office.

Most candidates run for public office because they feel they can make more money in public life than they would be able to make in private enterprise. The plea of poverty is often used as a vehicle for seeking office. Let it be remembered that not all poor folks are efficient and honest, any more than all well-to-do people are dishonest. It is a sad day when the people lose confidence in our public officers, and those who seek office, by branding them all as inefficient and dishonest simply because they choose to run for public office.

The public offices are the property of the public. The voters are guarandians of these offices. The voters hire those who fill the offices, and the voters should be as careful in their selection as they are in hiring men and women to work for them in their private business, whether they are farmers, bankers, merchants, or professional men. Hiring men and women for public office holding is a serious problem.

If democracy is to be a success, the voters must hire honest, efficient, capable men and women to fill public office. Friendship should play little part other than to make it possible for the voter to weigh the worth of the candidates.

Every candidate has the right to be heard. Every voter should hear the candidate as he presents his claims for office. After this is done, then the voter must decide for himself whether or not the candidate will make a capable public official, and whether or not he is entitled to the support of the voter. This is serious business on the part of the voter. It is a duty that he cannot afford to neglect or give too little consideration to if he would remain a good citizen.

Some folks think it is funny to embarrass the candidates. They should be forced to make a political campaign at least once in their lives. They would then better appreciate the feelings of the candidate as he seriously does his part in the campaign. Treat the candidates kindly and courteously. They are seeking an opportunity to serve the public and are looking to the voter as their employer.

The Russians are still on the move toward Berlin. Hitler raises the cry that the Reds are about to overrun Europe, and tries to divide the United Nations in his warning. As a matter of fact there are still many people in the United States who are very much afraid of what Russia could and will do after the war. At the present time Russia is doing plenty to Hitler and his fantastic dream of world conquest.

Palo Duro News

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Albers and Bob and Emil Albers and family spent Saturday evening in the home of Mrs. John Albers, visiting with Mrs. Lester Chilcott who on Sunday returned to Nebraska.

T-Sgt. Adolph Kampen, on furlough from Sebring, Fla., is visiting in the Geo. Albers home.

Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Root who have been visiting in the E. A. Michael home have moved to their home in Canyon.

Miss Clara Miller and Pvt. Fred Schulz spent Friday afternoon in the Henry Miller home.

Dinner guests in the Henry Miller home Sunday were T-Sgt. Adolph Kampen, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Albers, Misses Martha and Clara Miller, Miss Phyllis Albers and Bob Albers.

Miss Martha Miller is spending several days this week in the parental Miller home.

Wayside Items

Rev. Marvin Menefee filled his regular appointment Sunday morning and afternoon.

Guy Payne is very low in a Lubbock hospital.

Mrs. Ida Sluder is improving but still confined to her bed.

Oren Fisher has employment at Pantex.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Payne of Dumas arrived in Happy last Monday afternoon to be with Mrs. Ida Sluder. Mr. Payne returned to Dumas, Mrs. Payne remained with her mother.

Sgt. Doyle Payne, who landed safely somewhere in England, has visited with Joyce Lane lately.

Willie Modisette was in Happy last week visiting relatives. After his furlough he is to return to Camp Dix, New Jersey.

Pvt. Wayne Sluder is enjoying his 30-day furlough, after which he will be at the general hospital in Chickasha, Okla.

Wheat is growing nicely. We had a regular spring rain last Wednesday evening with quite a bit of lightning and heavy thunder.

Several from this community sold fat lambs to Glenn Dowlen and delivered them to Happy first part of the week.

Mrs. Fannie Franklin spent most of last week in Happy with her mother, Mrs. Ida Sluder.

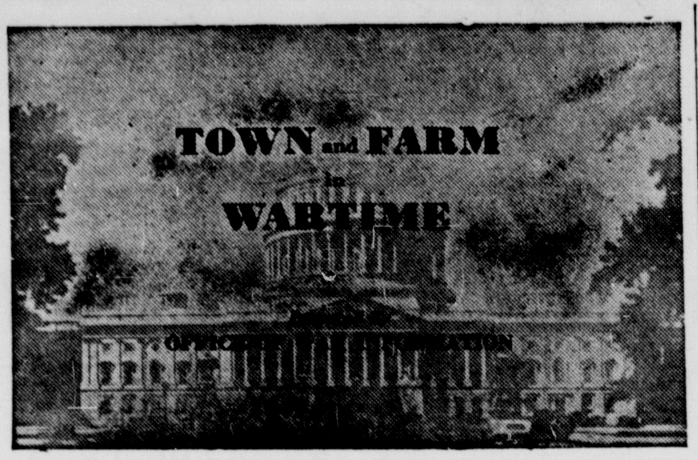
J. T., Sr. and M. L. McGehee visited their sister, Mrs. Ida Sluder, last Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. I. Lane called on Mrs. Ida Sluder Tuesday morning.

In view of what he has to say, an auctioneer does an awful lot of fast talking.

There's no use locking the barn after the horse is eaten.

BUY MORE WAR BONDS.



RATION REMINDERS

Tire Inspection: For A coupon holders, deadline is March 31. For B and C coupon holders, deadline is February 28.

Meats, Fats: Brown stamps V and W good through February 26.

Processed Foods: Green stamps G, H, and J in book four are good through Feb. 20. Green stamps K, L, and M are good through Mar. 20.

Income Tax: Deadline for filing returns, March 15, earlier filing is desirable.

TO DETERMINE TAX YOU OWE

As soon as wage earners get their wage and tax receipts from employers they should make out their annual income and victory tax returns to determine how much if any tax they must pay by March 15, the deadline for filing, the Treasury Department advises. Some wage earners will owe a substantial amount, many will owe a small figure, and others will get refunds.

SETS MAXIMUM VEGETABLE PRICES

To prevent sharp increases in fresh vegetable prices, the Office of Price Administration has announced maximum prices for carrots, spinach, peas, snap beans, eggplant, peppers, and cucumbers. The action, effective at the country shipper level, January 31, will become effective 15 days later at wholesale markets. Exact retail prices in each community will be announced by the regional and district OPA offices.

CANNING SUGAR NOW AVAILABLE

Housewives may now get five pounds of canning sugar by using stamp No. 40 in ration book four, OPA has announced, and additional canning sugar later will be available on application to local boards. Stamp No. 40 will be good 13 months, through February 28, 1945.

FARM SUPPORT PRICE PROGRAM

Average prices to egg producers ranging from a low to about 30 cents a dozen during the spring to a high of about 40 cents a dozen in late fall or early winter are planned by the War Food Administration in its price support program for carlot graded eggs for 1944. WFA also announces its proposal for support prices on other farm products, subject to congressional action.

MAY TIGHTEN FARM DEFERMENT

To maintain their deferments from military service because of their agricultural activity, the 1,700,000 registrants engaged in agriculture may be asked to increase their production goals, according to Commander Patrick H. Winston, assistant executive selective service system. Approximately one million of these deferred men are non-fathers.

TO RELOCATE PHYSICIANS, DENTISTS

Any municipality, county, or other local subdivision of government suffering from an acute shortage of physicians or dentists may now apply to the Surgeon General or the district office of the U. S. Public Health Service or through the State Health Officer requesting the relocation of a physician or dentist. The Public Health Service agrees to pay moving costs and to pay the relocated doctor $250 a month for the first three months. The doctor agrees to practice in the community for not less than one year, and the community agrees to contribute one-fourth the government's cost to the Public Health Service.

HELP FOR TRUCK OWNERS

Owners of farm trucks and other truck operators are requested by the Office of Defense Transportation to cooperate in a reporting system which the ODT has established to help truck and bus operators with their tire-procurement problems. Any operator eligible for tires but unable to obtain a tire certificate from his local rationing board because of exhausted quotas or other reasons, is asked to report that fact to his ODT district office, stating the reason given by the board for the denial of the certificate. This information will enable the ODT to determine the kind of action to be taken, if assistance is warranted.

RATION-FREE RUBBER FOOTFEAR

OPA will permit some ration-free sales on rubber footwear by retailers and jobbers who have excess and slow-moving stocks that otherwise might be wasted through deterioration. Retailers and jobbers desiring permission for such sales must apply in writing to OPA district offices. A minimum of 15 days will be required between filing of application and granting of "non-rationed" stickers, which identify the released footwear.

ROUND-UP

U. S. civilians will get 63 per cent of the vitamin A allocation in 1944, WFA says, as the army gets most of its vitamins through a balanced diet. . . . Burn any packing material that comes with gifts from soldiers abroad to avoid insect pests and plant diseases, advises the Department of Agriculture. The department also advises that started chicks, three or four weeks old, have better chances of survival for the poultry beginner than newly hatched chicks have. . . . With the largest winter cabbage crop in history, WFA has asked the kraut industry to make 80,000 more tons of kraut. . . . Total U. S. war casualties as announced up to January 25 were 142,289—including 32,662 dead, 47,123 wounded, 32,699 missing, and 29,805 prisoners of war. . . . In general ration costs of meat is higher and of canned vegetables, lower during February—WFA has ordered packers to set aside at least 80 per cent of all canner and cutter beef for the U. S. armed forces. . . . Prices of fresh tongue range from four to five cents less per pound under recent OPA regulation than under the previous regulation. . . Farmers and other bulk users of gasoline may replace losses from their storage facilities resulting from fire, theft, accident, or other extra-ordinary circumstances, under a new OPA procedure. . . . WFA will soon release approximately 4,000 cases or 120,000 pounds of dry pea or soya soup powder from government reserves to civilian consumers. . . . The farm freezer industry advisory committee has recommended to WPB that 25,000 farm freezers, combining cold storage and freezing elements, be made and distributed in 1944.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our thanks and appreciation to the many friends for their attentions and consideration in our bereavement at the loss of our mother and grandmother.

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Schneider
Mr. and Mrs. Mit Fox

A dietician says that Irish potatoes are three fourths water. In that case, we prefer our water fried.

Our Motto Is

"Keep 'em Playing"

Bring in those "CAN'T BE FIXED" sets.

We will fix up your radios and keep them going for the duration.

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H. P. NEILL
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Special . . .

NOTICE

At a recent meeting held by O. P. A. in this District O. P. A. officials announced that beginning Feb. 1, 1944, that they positively will refuse to redeem gasoline coupons from us unless:

(1) Each and every coupon is properly endorsed,

(2) Endorsement in ink or rubber stamp,

(3) Each coupon has license number and State (except for official fleet owners which should have City and State of main office or Certificate of War Necessity,

(4 Each E and R coupons must positively be endorsed with name and address of the ration holder.

It was also stated that each ration holder must make his own endorsement and in all cases the wholesaler or retailer was positively forbidden to do so.

Your co-operation will be greatly appreciated.

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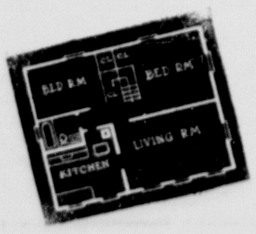

BURROW Lumber Co.

Sure, you're going to build a new home just as soon as the war is over! What do you mean, you can't afford it? You are buying it right now and don't know it, absolutely. How about those Victory Bonds you are salting away every pay day? Every one is a payment on a new home and when the time comes you'll have enough put away to plunk down an initial payment that will make paying the balance a cinch. Start planning now; we'll help you, if we may.

VICTORY FIRST • BUY WAR BONDS

QUESTION:

Are you tired out after work?

ANSWER:

If you get tired and nervous more easily now than usual it is more than likely the fault of your shoes. Have them renewed at Pope's and see how fresh you feel at the end of a hard day's work.

POPE'S SHOE SHOP

Means More To You

YOUR HOME needs protection of sound, carefully written fire insurance policies. In fact, the loss of your home may mean more to you than the loss of a factory means to a corporation.

Get Dependable Insurance from this Hartford agency.

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No Sale this Year

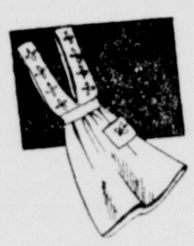
We are not having a sale, but we have been to market and we tried our level best to bring back for your approval the kind of merchandise you want at prices you want to pay. We want you to make our store your headquarters when in Canyon. Come in to look it is no trouble to show you.

Priced to Clear

Winter Overcoats

Good news for thrifty shoppers. Wonderful reductions on this season's smash hit overcoats. Chesterfields, officer's reefers, scores of others. Wonderfully warm and versatile, smart everywhere for seasons—and priced to clear now! Broken sizes.

One rack of 25 coats and suits at just one-half the regular price. Come in to look.



Ladies' Fancy Aprons. You will want several, at—

79c

A generous selection of Ladies Fine Purses.

$1.98 to $4.98

Crisp new Blouses. Fresh and feminine blouses—perfect now through Spring! Gay prints, pastels, whites. Newest styles.

$2.90 to $4.98

Ladies Fine Kid Gloves, black or tan—

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Men's Sweaters

$2.98 to $4.98

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Growing Girls' Oxfords. Our stock is in fine condition. Stury long wearing leather oxfords, priced—

$2.98 to $3.98

Men's Khaki Work Shirts. Sanforized and fast color.

$1.98

Army cloth shirts—

$2.98

Men's Dress Pants, size 27 to 44. All wool or wool and rayon mixtures. Come in to look—

$3.98 to $9.90

Just received Boys Suits, size 9 to 16, brown and blue wool and rayon mixtures

$12.50

Ladies' House Slippers. Ask to see them.

$1.49 to $2.98

Ladies' Slips . . . tearose and white, size 32 to 46—

$1.29 to $3.98

Ladies' Gowns. Rayon knit Fancy rayon knit—Fancy rayon gowns—

$2.98 to $5.95

Misses Print Dresses, size 7 to 14, priced—

$1.98 to $2.98

We have a large assortment of Ladies' Dresses, size 9 to 14, priced to fit any purse.

$2.98 to $14.75

Just received a large assortment of Ladies and Misses Print Pajamas. Ladies sizes—

$2.98

Misses sizes, 7 to 16—

$1.98

Men's Shorts and Shirts. Broadcloth shorts all sizes, 28 to 42—

49c

Men's cotton knit undershirts—

39c

Men's Knit Briefs—

59c

Ladies' Fine Dress Shoes, sizes 4 to 9, width AAA to E—

$2.98 to $5.90

Tiny Tots Dresses, sizes one to three.

$1.49 to $1.98

Ladies' Felt Hats, your choice any hat in the house—

$1.00

Furlough Bags, heavy khaki duck with zipper.

$2.77

Men's and Boys' Fine Dress Shoes. Men's shoes—

$2.98 to $8.90

Boys' Shoes and and Oxfords—

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TOWELS. Large size turkish towels—

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Boys Sport Jackets. The kind real boys like. All sizes from four to 16. Priced—

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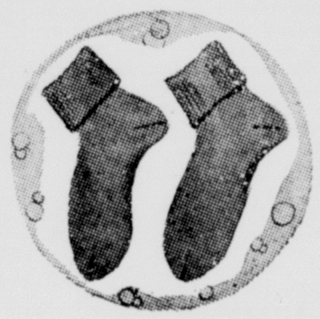
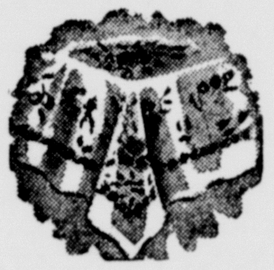


A large assortment of Ladies and Children's Sox,

15c to 35c



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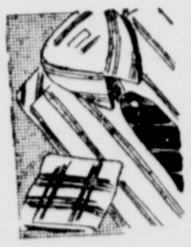

Men's Fine Dress Shirts. Size 14 to 17.

$1.98 to $2.98

Men's Work Shoes, built for hard wear.

$2.98 to $5.90

Comforts. Fluffy satteen covered. Floral designs. Priced—

$4.98 to $8.90

Our assortment of piece goods is larger and better than ever before. Come in to look at this fine assortment of rayons, woolens and cottons. You will want to start your spring sewing right away. We have what you want at moderate prices. 25 cents to $5.95 per yard.

Fancy Jimm Alls. Size one to three.

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Men's Knit Union Suits, size 36 to 46; long sleeve and ankle length or short

$1.50

Men's Cotton Work Sox.

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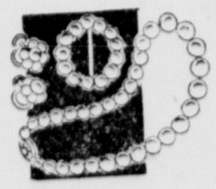

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Ladies House Dresses, a biig value at—

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Children's Shoes for dress or play, solid leather—

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Men's Justin Boots, black or brown—

$16.50 to $21.00

Ladies' Justin Boots, size 4 to 8—

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For active duty, sports, for relaxation, too—slacks take top honors. See our man - tailored smoothies. All long-wearing, low priced.

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Social Events of the Week Clubs and Organizations

CROSON ENTERTAINS SOCIAL PIONEERS

The Social Pioneers met Thursday, Jan. 27, with Mrs. N. A. Croson. The meeting was opened by the singing of "God Bless America." This was followed by a few moments of silent prayer and the Lord's Prayer. Jessie Reid, the President, was absent and Mrs. R. E. Foster presided.

After the business meeting this short program was rendered: Reading, "Smiles" by Mrs. C. H. Stratton; Mrs. Harrell reviewed the book, "Big Springs," by Sunshine Phillips. "Big Springs" is a description of pioneer days in Big Springs and is applicable to all West Texas towns.

The hostess served refreshments to the following: Mrs. Ola Ridgway, Mrs. E. B. Anthony, Mrs. Ed Harrell, Mrs. Stratton, Mrs. Foster, Mrs. L. E. Simms, Mrs. T. S. Trowbridge, Mrs. E. C. Penick, Mrs. I. M. Steen, Mrs. J. C. Dowd, Miss Columbia Redfearn, Mrs. Emma Dodson, Mrs. J. T. Service, Mrs. G. B. Bourland, Mrs. J. D. Key, Mrs. J. W. McCrerey, Mrs. R. G. Oldham, Mrs. Ossie Baker, Mrs. W. A. Jennings, Mrs. R. T. Bowman, Mrs. Emma Foster, Mrs. Dollie Taylor, Miss Hannah Robeson and two visitors, Mrs. Etta Gillham of Wayside and Miss Estelle Penick of Georgia.

LANGSTON AND WALKER UNITED IN MARRIAGE

Miss Imogene Langston of Canyon and Ardell Walker of Plainview were united in marriage in a single ring ceremony, Monday, January 24, at eight o'clock in the parsonage of the Missionary Baptist church with G. K. Rogers performing the ceremony.

Those attending the couple were Donna Sue Walker, sister of the bridegroom, Wanza Green and Wesley Hood all of Plainview.

The bridegroom returned to camp Friday in Louisiana. Mrs. Walker will make her home in Canyon.

Mrs. Evelyn Massey of Wichita, Kans., visited in the parental B. B. Cluck home Sunday.

Goldfish originated in China.

RALPH H. D. CLUB MEETING WEDNESDAY

Ralph H. D. Club met in the home of Mrs. L. S. Johnston, Wednesday, January 26, for the first meeting of 1944.

After a lovely luncheon Mrs. S. G. Elliott, outgoing president, was honored with a shower of gifts and expressions of appreciation for her fine work the past two years. The house was beautifully decorated with cut flowers.

Miss Wilroy met with the club for her last meeting before leaving the county. She spoke to the women on her ideals for and appreciation of the club.

Mrs. S. S. Howell, new club president, named the new committee; the 1944 year books were filled in and plans made for the year's work.

Those present were Mrs. Crews Henry, Mrs. Joe Cox, Mrs. Ira Scott, Mrs. H. G. Persons, Mrs. T. C. Gooch, Mrs. L. L. Byars, Mrs. John F. Lill, Mrs. Elliott, Mrs. Howell, Mrs. R. M. Miller of Happy, Miss Wilroy and Mrs. Johnston.

The club will meet Feb. 9, in the home of Mrs. Elliott.

BILL ED CHILDERS HAS BIRTHDAY PARTY

Bill Ed Childers entertained a group of his little friends at a birthday party at his home on January 30.

The children played games directed by Mary Hill and during the afternoon several pictures were taken.

A lovely birthday cake with five candles was served with ice cream. Each child was given a balloon and candy as favors.

Those present were: June Carolyn Davis, Howard Hampton Lisle, Debra McDonald, Charles Robert Neblett, Johnette Weeks, Charles Brasher, Alice Mae Simms, Diane Prichard, Bobby Zachry of Tulsa, Okla., Judy Turner, Mary Louise Higdon, Nancy Adcock, Lowell Hill, Jimmie Craig, Mary Hill and Bill Ed.

LADIES AUXILIARY MET AT CHURCH

The Ladies Auxiliary of the First Presbyterian Church assembled in the parlor of the Church Friday for a regular meeting.

Worship period was led by Mrs. C. R. Burrow. "Great Peace Have They"—who love their neighbors as themselves, was her topic. She placed emphasis on two thoughts—as Christian citizens in a so-called Christian land we must help bring about economic justice so that all citizens may share more equally; and as a nation among nations we must be prepared for just sharing after the war.

Because of the absence of the appointed leader on Social Education, Mrs. Harrell supplied by discussing "Russia and the Western Democracies," "Germany and the Future in Europe," "Emerging Outlines of Postwar Organization."

Present were: Mrs. G. O. Hoglan, visitor; Mrs. N. A. Croson, Mrs. M. E. Cleavinger, Mrs. C. R. Burrow, Mrs. E. D. Harrell, Mrs. S. L. Ingham, Mrs. Robt. W. Jones, Mrs. Monroe, Mrs. E. N. Wiley and Mrs. J. R. Sharp, members.

The meeting was closed with a prayer by Mrs. Hoglan.

MRS. HOWARD SLACK HONORED

Mrs. Howard Slack was honored with a pink and blue shower, Friday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Serena Bryant. She received many useful gifts.

Games were played by the guests after which refreshments consisting of white cake squares decorated with pink and blue, chicken salad sandwiches, and cocoa were served to the following: Mrs. Finis Brazil, Mrs T. G. Knox, Mrs. Alva Wise, Mrs. Melvin Miller, Mrs. George Schaeffer, Mrs. Elmer Miller, Mrs. C. W. Bauer, Mrs. C. M. Rogers, Mrs. Hollis Shipman, Mrs. G. E Wesley, Mrs. S. F. Sharpes, Mrs. Del Zachery, Mrs. Lester Bryan, Mrs. D. L. Whitson, Mrs. J. W. Wesley, Vesta Amerson.

Mrs. E. W. Schaeffer, Mrs. Alvin Wesley, Miss Evelyn Schaeffer, Miss Lola Belle Wesley, Mrs. Charles Wesley, Mrs. Harney Rogers, Mrs. Chas. Sutton, Mrs. Serena Bryant, the hostess, and Mrs. Slack, the honoreee.

Charles W. Johnson from Dalhart visited Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Walsh and son this week.

Sybil Gidden spent the week end in the parental E. Gidden home.

Blind Man Lost Without 'Seeing-Eye' Dog

When someone in your family comes down with a cold, you'd be as lost as a blind man without his "seeing-eye" dog—if the products in your favorite drug store had no names. You wouldn't be able to get what you wanted! Names are your guides to reliable, result-getting products. The name Vicks VapoRub is your guide to the best-known home remedy for relieving miseries of colds. Ask for it by its trade-marks.

Vicks Vapo Rub

A. A. U. W. WILL MEET WITH MISS RUTH LOWES

The Canyon branch of the American Association of University Women will meet at the home of Miss Ruth Lowes, 2004 Seventh Avenue, Monday evening, Feb. 7, at 7:30. Study group will convene at the beginning of the hour, and a business meeting with Miss Margaret Barrett presiding will follow.

The Modern Novel Group will hear Miss Lee Sullivan review "And They Shall Walk" by Sister Elizabeth Kenny.

Miss Darthula Walker will lead a discussion of the Cairo and Teheran Conference for members of the International Relations Group.

For the Modern Drama Group Miss Novella Goodman and Dr. Mattie Swayne will read Thornton Wilder's "The Skin of Our Teeth." This group will meet at 6:30 in order that the play may be completed before adjournment.

The A. A. U. W. is sponsoring one other study group this year. This is a group interested in conversational Spanish. Meetings are held with Miss Anita Goodrich and Mrs. Hester Morgan in charge.

UMBARGER H. D. CLUB MET JANUARY 27TH

The Umbarger H. D. Club met at 2 p. m., Thursday, Jan. 27. Yearbooks were made out. Plans were discussed whereby members would get trees planted and would begin work on a scholarship fund.

The members presented Miss Wilroy with a parting gift.

Coffee and cake were served by the club president, Mrs. Henry Bracht to the following members and guests: Members, Mrs. Ben Koch, Mrs. Frank Begert, Mrs. M. Hollenstein, Mrs. Max Hoffman, Miss Wilroy, and guest, Miss Helen Hoffman.

The next meeting will be at 2:30 p. m., February 10, in the home of Mrs. Clarence Beckman. Mrs. George Vorwald will give a talk on "Juvenile Delinquency." Roll Call will be answered by a good trait to develop in the child.

SAM WIGGINS HONORED WITH BIRTHDAY DINNER

Mrs. Sam Wiggins entertained Sunday with a dinner to honor her husband on his 62nd birthday.

Ernestine Jo Pond and Frank Barker, grandchildren, helped Mr. Wiggins blow out the candles on the birthday cake.

Children of Mr. Wiggins who attended the celebration with their families were: Mrs. C. H. Pond and Henry Wiggins of Umbarger, and Mrs. Bob Barker of Amarillo.

1930 BRIDGE CLUB MET WITH MRS. WARWICK

The 1930 Bridge Club members met with Mrs. Clyde Warwick Friday afternoon at 3:30. A salad course was served to the following: Members, Mrs. C. R. Burrow, Mrs. J. L. Duflot, Mrs. J. S. Humphreys, Mrs. S. L. Ingham, Mrs. D. A. Shirley, Mrs. R. A. Terrill; guests, Mrs. R. A. Neblett, and Mrs. A. B. Martin, Mrs. R. E. Underwood, Mrs. Ray Johnson and Mrs. Roy Vineyard of Amarillo.

UMBARGER 4-H CLUB MET AT SCHOOL HOUSE

The Umbarger 4-H Club met with Miss Frances Wilroy, Jan. 27, with twenty-nine members present.

The club has been divided into two groups, Senior and Junior. All girls were to have had their cup-towels or pillow cases finished.

The next meeting will be held as soon as the vacancy of Miss Wilroy is filled.

S. E. LONDON BROTHER OF MRS. G. B. COMBS DIES

Mrs. G. B. Combs received word last week that her brother, S. E. London passed away last Tuesday evening at Dallas. He had been a resident of Dallas for many years, and the funeral was held Thursday afternoon.

Because she did not receive word earlier, it was impossible for Mrs. Combs to attend the funeral.

THOMAS EARL McBROOM HONORED AT PARTY

Thomas Earl McBroom was entertained by a group of little friends at his home Thursday.

Games were enjoyed and refreshments were served to the following: Fanta Lois Marshall, Jacquelyn Barnard, Bruce and Charles Buchanan, Carolyn Rae Sanderson, Ronald Crow, Ronnie and Tommy Roy McBroom.

Charles Cooper was ill but sent a gift.

V-NEWS

1. Why should I drink milk?

Milk is a complete food. It contains most of the food elements considered essential.

The protein in milk is complete. It has all the building stones (amino acids) necessary for growth and repair of tissue.

The fat of milk is emulsified. It is an easily digested form.

The sugar of milk is easily used by the body and it aids in the maintenance of a healthy intestinal condition.

The mineral of milk is important due to the large amount of calcium present. Calcium is needed for strong bones and teeth.

The vitamins in milk are mainly A, B, G. The vitamin C is often lost in the handling of milk. Vitamin D may not be present unless special care is taken to put it there.

Milk may be constipating because it is low in roughage, so it should be supplemented by cereals, also yellow and green vegetables.

Milk is low in iron so should be supplemented by eggs.

2. I cannot drink milk. In what other way may it be obtained?

Many people who think they cannot drink milk, really can. However, it may be taken in the form of custards, milk soups, creamed vegetables, ice cream, etc.

3. How much milk should I have every day? The standard is a quart for the child and a pint for the adult. Recent research seems to indicate that a quart of milk for the adult, per day, improves his health, gives him more pep and vigor, aids in resistance to disease.

4. Why are eggs essential to the diet? Eggs should be eaten because they contain complete protein, that is, they have all the building stones necessary for growth and repair of tissue.

Eggs contain emulsified fat. So it is easily digested.

Eggs contain a large amount of iron. Iron is important in maintaining red blood cells and preventing nutritional anemia.

Eggs contain important vitamins.

5. Why should I eat green and yellow vegetables every day?

Chiefly because they contain carotene which is vitamin A. This important vitamin is essential to good vision; to growth and general good health; also to keeping the linings of the nose, mouth, ears, and other parts of the body in good condition. It helps build body resistance agains disease.

Green vegetables are important too, because they give Riboflavin (Vitamin B2), ascorbic acid (vitamin C) and iron we need.

Gsaoline Discused By Pierle at the Rotary Luncheon

Dr. Chester Pierle talked on the development of gasoline from oil at the luncheon of the Rotary Club Tuesday. He reviewed the development of the industry from the time oil was discovered in Pennsylvania down to the present time when gasoline is playing such an important part in the war.

In 1929 only 7 to 13% of a barrel of oil was made into gasoline. Under new processess the refineries are now getting 80 to 90% gasoline out of a barrel of oil. The importance of gasoline in this war was pointed out by Dr. Pierle. It takes a million and a half gallons of gasoline for a major air raid over Germany.

Dr. Pierle discussed the various products which are being derived from gasoline.

Visitors were: O. K. Lewis of Amarillo; Rev. J. Lowell Ponder of Plainview; John E. Clements, R. E. Maris, E. R. Horton of Austin; Rev. Bob Kilgore of Canyon.

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BROWNIES AND LEADERS NOTICE TO GIRL SCOUTS

Miss Ida Mae McClure, Girl Scout Field Adviser for this area, is to be in Canyon Tuesday of next week. She would like to meet all mothers of Brownies and Girl Scouts and Scout leaders, county council and other adults interested in this work Tuesday at 3:30 in the basement of the Methodist Church.

Miss McClure plans to work with the Brownies and Girl Scouts on Wednesday.

Jas. Butler Told of War Plays Being Produced

Lion Jim Butler read three short selections to illustrate his subject "The Theater in War" at the luncheon Tuesday. He stated that since the declaration of war in 1941, 22 war plays have been produced on Broadway. In the selection of the ten best movies for 1943, war pictures greatly dominated the selections.

Preceding the talk a trio composed of Miss Ramage, Miss Foster and Miss Abbott, accompanied by Miss Anita Davis at the piano, sang three selections.

Spencer Whippo, former member of the local club, and Art Hawks of Canyon, were guests.

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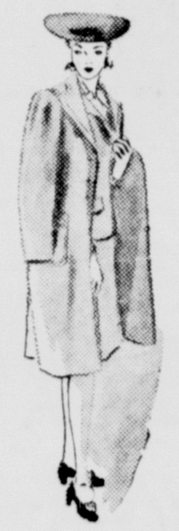

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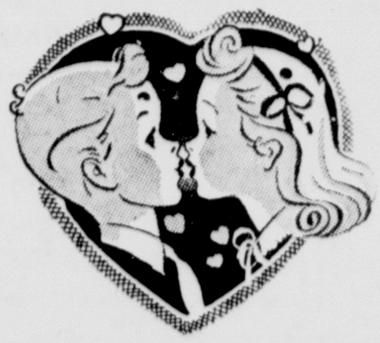

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Spread of Pneumonia Over State Warning of Health Officer

Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer, today issued a warning to every victim of influenza, colds, or upper respiratory infections to be on guard against the possibility of spreading these diseases or a pneumococcus infection through coughing and sneezing.

"Persons who cough or sneeze without the proper use of a handkerchief will be very likely to be responsible for the spread of pneumonia. Placing a a handkerchief over the mouth or nose when coughing or sneezing will help prevent the spread of infections," Dr. Cox said.

"The air is the medium through which influenza spreads. A person coughing or sneezing in an unventilated room where the air is stale and moist will almost certainly pass the infection on to others."

The increase prevalence of influenza is usually associated with an increased incidence of pneumonia. The sharp rise in the incidence of pneumonia in the past few weeks has demonstrated that influenza victims by coughing and sneezing have almost certainly been responsible for the present large number of pneumonia cases reported, Dr. Cox stated.

"A person who is not suffering from pneumonia may still have the pneumococcus germ in his throat or upper respiratory tract and can very easily pass the disease on to others. Considering the fact that pneumonia is a dangerous killer, especially in children and old people, every person should guard against spreading this infection among his fellow men," Dr. Cox declared.

The Randall County Home Demonstration Council will meet Saturday afternoon, February 5, at 3 p. m., in the Council room.

Who Will Pay Income Tax?

Even though they filed declarations of estimated tax in September or December, the following persons in general must file income tax returns on or before March 15:

1. Every single person whose gross income in 1943 was $500 or more.
2. Every individual married person whose gross income was more than $624.
3. Every married couple whose combined gross income was $1,200 or more.
4. Every person who paid or owed a tax on 1942 income.

Excepted from filing on March 15 are service men and others outside the country, and wives of servicemen outside the country if the wife's own income is less than $1,200.

The Bureau of Internal Revenue advises all persons to file their returns early to determine how they stand. Many people will be about even with the government, a number of people will find they have a sizeable payment to make, and still others will find that the government owes them money.

Business Decline Only When Germany Is Knocked Out

When Germany collapses, you can expect "rather drastic readjustments" in the number of Texas industries—primarily those engaged in aircraft, shipping and ordnance production—predicts Dr. F. A. Buechel, economic analyst for the University of Texas Bureau of Business Research.

This prediction resulted when only one-tenth of a point gain in the state's index of business activity was noted for the month of December. Though all indexes show substantial gains over December a year ago, the business curve is now at its "rounding off" point, Dr. Buechel said, but he estimated that 1944 income levels would be higher than 1943.

"War production will remain at a high level," he declared, "until Japan is eliminated, which according to present expectations, will occur in 1945.

"In the meantime, production of civilian goods is expected to gain momentum as more and more materials become available, and this fact will offset, in measure at least, the decline in war production."

Carlee Wirt and Mrs. Carl Hair made a business trip to Lubbock Friday.

Gwendolyn Phillips spent Sunday in Plainview visiting Florence and Lorene Hall.

Mrs. Alva Thornburg is living at Cousins Hall and is working full time at the College Book Store.

Mrs. Charles Gerald of Dallas arrived Friday to visit with her brother, Sgt. George Schmitz.

Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Robertson spent from Wednesday to Saturday in the W. H. Harden home.

Howard Mahle from Lubbock visited his sister, Mrs. Carl Hair, Tuesday.

R. E. Marshall is the new owner of the Bishir Auto Shop.

Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Lowry visited in Hereford, Sunday.

"I wish you would shave that mustache off, John. You look like Hitler."

"Don't worry, dear. The neighbors know I'm no dictator."

Dad: Why are you and your little sister always quarreling?

Daughter: I don't know; unless she takes after mother and I take after you.

The first foreign language American newspaper was established by Benjamin Franklin in 1732 and printed in German.

The Money Order branch of the Postal Service was established in 1864 for the accommodation of Civil War soldiers.

Food chemists advocate steaming instead of boiling vegetables because boiling destroys valuable mineral matter.

The two-cent piece was the first coin minted with the instcription, "In God We Trust."

Busy men have too much on their hands to be handling people with gloves.

There are five climatic zones: two frigid zones, two temperate zones and one torrid zone.

FOR SALE

FOR SALE: Young does and frying rabbits. Also three-quarter size violin. 2715 2nd Ave. A. K. Goodman. 1t

FOR SALE: No. 2 Brownie Kodak, in good condition. Price $6.00. Mrs. W. L. Johnson, box 222. p1

FOR SALE: This modern five room home, has venetian blinds, hardwood floors, and plenty of built-ins. Four blocks of square. Here is seven room home on pavement, five blocks from college; has cow barn, chicken house and double garage. Modern five room home about one block from post office; immediate possession. Many others.

Practically new five room home with barn, chicken houses, etc., just outside of city limits. Whole block of land. Terms on all of these homes. See A. B. Duncan. p1

FOR SALE: Practically new bedroom suite and living room suite, 1941 model kerosene Electrolux refrigerator, kerosene range and kitchenette set. Geo. Nance Ranch. p1

FOR SALE: Chinese Elm trees, 25c and up. Also Electric battery brooder. C. F. Shenefelt, 1502 2nd Ave. 48p2

FOR SALE: Chifferobe, table, chairs, 100 lb. ice box, 4 Congoleum rugs, utility cabinet, 2 rockers, library table, Victrolia, lawn mower and other articles. E. C. Sims, 611 W. 4th. p1

FOR SALE: One 6 room house, two chicken houses, garage, full block land, all fenced. $100 will handle deal. E. C. Sims, 611 W. 4th. p1

FOR SALE: 75 White Leghorn and Austra White pulletts, laying. 2200 4th Avenue. 47p2

FOR SALE: One piano, good condition. Phone 91J. 47p2

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WANTED: Two girls to wait tables on Tuesdays from 11:30 a. m. to 2:30 p. m. Call at King's Cafe. t1

STRAYED OR STOLEN: From Buffalo Lake pasture, four head of cows, branded IX on left hip. Liberal reward. F. V. Friemel. 48p4

LOST: A Gasoline book. Finder please return to Clem Friemel, Rt. 1, Canyon. p1

WANTED TO BUY: 15 tons ear corn immediately. Hosea Foster. 1p

LOST: A gasoline book. Henry Bracht, Umbarger. 1p

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Henry Averbeck
Melvin Leavitt
Billie Hand
Harold Beckman
A. W. Hawks
Billye Ormarie Wirt
Mrs. G. A. Colling
Mary Joyce Snapp

February 6th—
Nancy Faye Root
Ray Robbins
Mrs. H. M. Rockwell
Mrs. Roy Long

February 7th—
Mrs. K. R. Schram a
Bernice Lowrie
Claudine Foster
James Cundiff
Mrs. Roscoe Davis
Mrs. Ervin Podzemny

February 8th—
Augusta Stice
Fannie Alice Pierce
Guy Harp
Joana Belle Haines
Paul Cook
Carrie Louise Bauer
Dora Miller
Mrs. W. S. Myers
L. T. Campbell
Betty Ruth Solomon
Mrs. Verna Trout

February 9th—
Mrs. Newton Harrell
Sylvester Batenhorst
Bonnie Goettsch
Jeanine Thomas
S. M. Leonard
Lucille Shelnutt

February 10th—
Mrs. G. W. Johnson
Dorothy Elizabeth Neblett
Mack Cantrell

Visitor: What was your mummie's name before she was married?

Young Innocence: I think it must have been Biltmore. That's the name on our towels.

First Student Aviator — Quick? What do I do now?

Second Student Aviator — Do?! Aren't you the instructor?

He: Since I met you I can't eat, I can't sleep, I can't drink.

She (coyly): Why not?

He: I'm broke.

Student: I'll flip a coin. Heads—we go to a movie. Tails—we go to see the girls. If it stands on edge—we study.

Psychologist: When children are naughty, quickly switch their attention.

Mother: Switch their what?

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Long and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Garrett visited in the Frank Jerdes home in Tulia, Sunday.

Mrs. Verna Swaggart and Mrs. Lola Swaggart from Gary, Okla., are visiting Mrs. J. E. Park and family.

Mrs. Leslie Ruthart gave a birthday dinner Sunday honoring Mrs. W. E. Laughery and Garland Ruthart.

Mr. and Mrs. Galen Whichurch of Dodge City, Kans., visited over the week end in the home of their aunt, Mrs. Donie Collins.

RECEIVED THIS WEEK

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Mexican Jewelry
Pepper Sass Asst.
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Stove Bolts
Coleman Generators
Fork Handles
Pipe Fittings
Hand Saws
Screwdrivers
Carborundum Stones
Waste Baskets
Soldering Irons
Enders Razor Blades
Miniature Statues
Base Balls
Ball Bats
Model Planes
Fountain Pens
Black Pipe
Water Heaters
Levy China
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Lamp Wicks
Stain
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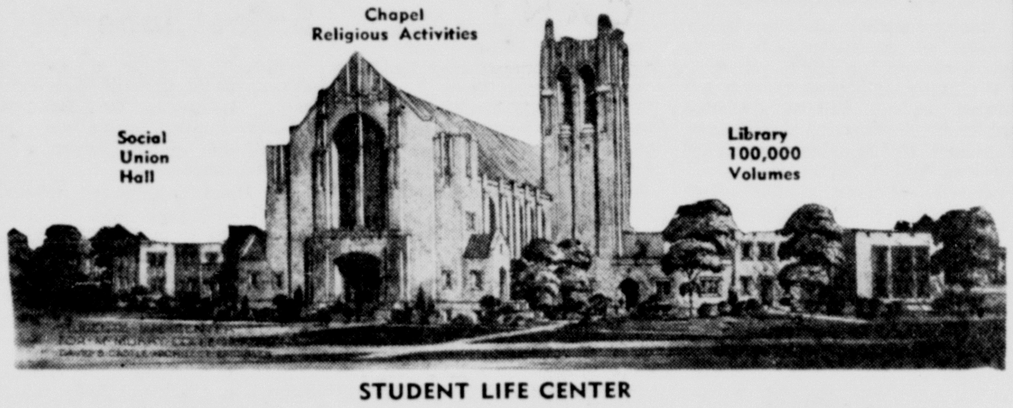

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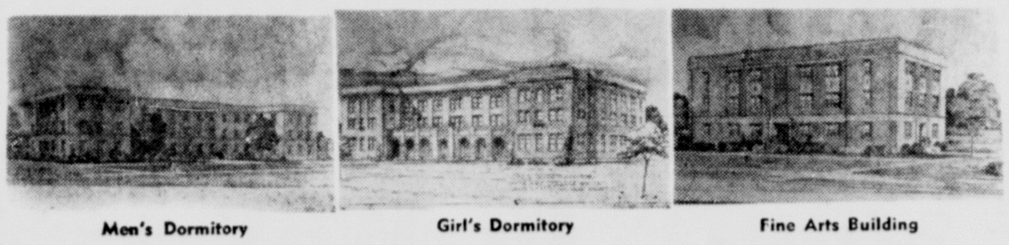

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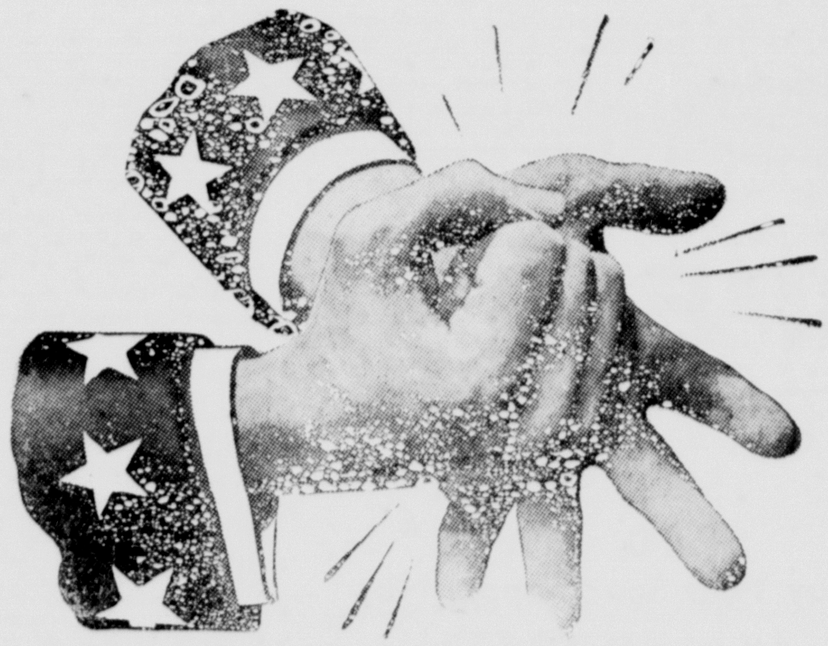

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The Eagle's Tale

Canyon High's Goal
$75,000 Plane
Can We Make It?

18th Year | Published by The Canyon News for Canyon High School | Thursday, February 3, 1944

Battling Eagle Cagemen Entangle Opposition at Dimmitt Tourney

In their first game of the Dimmitt tournament, which the basketball boys attended Friday and Saturday, the Canyon Eagles rose triumphant over basketeers from Hart with a score of 50-21. High-point man for the Eagle quintet was Leslie Gordon with 13 points.

After winning this game, they moved into the semi-finals along with Friona. In the fast and furious game that followed, the Eagles suffered a 35-26 defeat, their first of the season by this particular team. Max Bosley was high-point Eagle man in this game with eight points, while Reid led for Friona with 17 points to his credit. The remainder of the scores were equally divided between the players of both teams.

Winners of the free-pitch were Birdwell of Dimmitt, first; and Bosley of Canyon, second.

As the tournament was a combination of both girls' and boys' games, the Eagles took in some of the feminine sport and saw something different in the way of basketball.

Eagles making the trip with Coach Milton Sanders included Max Bosley, Charles Taylor, Leslie Gordon, Don Standley, J. Spencer Winn, Wallace Huff, Bob Copeland, J. Ray Hunter, and Harley Hicks.

Residents of Dimmitt showed interest in the tournament and a true spirit of hospitality by housing members of the visiting teams Friday night.

Instead of staying to see the outcome of the tournament, the Eagles chose to return to Canyon Saturday night.

Only comment by Coach Sanders was, "We can't win all of them."

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WHY AM I HERE?

No. 1—Well, there are always a lot of parties and entertainments so that you don't have to come to study. I'm here to have a good time.

No. 2—I'm here so that I can play basketball, but I'm going to quit as soon as the season is over.

No. 3—If I stay at home I'll have to work, so I'd rather be up here at school. I'm not taking any hard subjects and as soon as I can find anything else to do I'll drop out anyway.

No. 4—Dad said I couldn't have a car if I didn't finish high school; so I've kept on coming this year. I'm going to pass this year anyway, I THINK. I've got D's in most of my subjects.

No. 5—Well, my folks just make me come. That's why I'm here.

Have your parents made any sacrifices to keep you in school and keep you clothed? Has anyone else vested enough faith in you to give you clothes, books, and help you get an education? All right—don't disappoint them! Do your best!

To forget the past is okay—but don't forget to use it for the future.

Do "Plate-Sores" Bother You?
If your "GUMS" itch, burn, or cause you discomfort, druggists will return money if the first bottle of "LETO'S" fails to satisfy. City Pharmacy. 6

Popular Lyric Offers Mid-Term Rhythm

Mairzy dotes and
Doezy dotes and
Little lamzy divey
A kiddledy divey too
Wouldn't you?
2nd
Boys'll cram and
Girls'll cram and
Teacher'll all ask questions
A kid'll flunk mid-terms too
How 'bout you?

The moral to this jazzy little number is—ole' man mid-term is back again and NOW is the time for each student (good or bad) to study with all his might in a frantic attempt to grab all half credits that might come his way—they come in kinda' handy when the old "quituation" fever creeps up on you.

Nevertheless, everyone, teachers and students alike, will be glad when this confusion is over and things have settled down to their regular routine once more.

Homemakers End Clothing Project

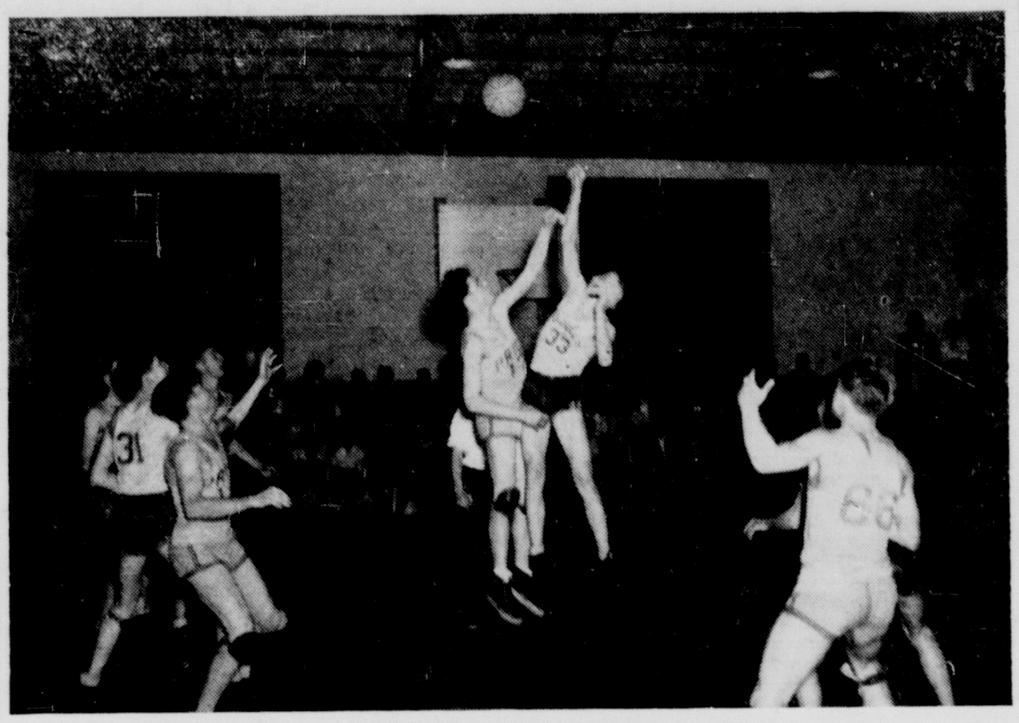
Bringing their sewing unit to a close Monday, January 24, the Homemaking I students modeled the clothes that they have completed. Made from print materials, the articles were of varied shapes and sizes. Aprons, dresses, jerkins, jumpers, blouses, and jackets compose the list.

Following the departure of Miss Rhita Jean Sullivan, practice teachers from the college have supervised the homemakers.

These girls have also finished their various home projects which include the care of clothes, and the making of slack suits, jackets, jumpers, and skirts.

Assembly Launches Fourth Campaign

Gordon Jumps High



In a desperate attempt to get the ball to one of his fellow players, Leslie Gordon, center, is shown above out-jumping Bob Uourdran, Cardinal of Price College. This shot was taken during a breath-taking moment in the Eagle-Cardinal game in Amarillo, Thursday, January 20.

Panel Composes Short Assembly

CHS Bonds Will Buy P-51 Mustang Pursuit Plane

Beginning the called assembly last Friday, a panel discussion on Canyon High School's part in the Fourth War Loan was introduced by Billy Jane Bonifield, council president. Participating in the panel were Supt. J. B. Speer, Charles Hillier, Mrs. A. K. Knott, and Billy Jane. After short talks by each of these, discussion was called for from the floor. After a unanimous vote in favor by the student body, our goal was set at a $75,000 Mustang Pursuit Plane. "Canyon High School" will be put on a name placque in the plane. Such an honor can easily put Canyon on the map when the fighter goes into actual combat. This amount is to be raised between January 1 and the close of school.

As to the nature of the drive, here are a few of the ideas to be used: Individual awards of merit will be awarded students who sell or buy large amounts of bonds; a large graph in the main hall will show the progress made by individual classes; pupils' parents will help by buying bonds and signing to the credit of Canyon High School.

Every student in school has pledged himself to support this campaign and to solicit purchases from the townspeople to be applied on the school's quota. This drive is going over the top if everyone does his part.

Well, my "vacuum cleaners" and I managed to gather up quite a few panfuls of good soil this week.

First, I noticed Dorothy Gafford and Ridings Sloan busily playing "Cat and Mouse" in study hall.

P. S. Paul Cook was placidly watching from across the table. From what I've heard, this last is of special significance.

In the way of nonsense, do you know when tears flow? Brace yourself! Ready? Answer: when the eyeballs.

Charles Taylor really had fun at Dimmitt. He held a girl on his lap all through one game. (Note: She was only three years old.)

Another romance (you know how those things pop up) is developing in the sophomore class. Kenneth Vaughn and Cheri Kilchriste are becoming quite devoted.

A couple of names have been mentioned together—Harry Campfield and Joyce Carter. That's all I know about it, but I'm sure there's more to it.

SENIOR PERSONALITY
WHO: Billy Jane Bonifield
WHAT: President of Student Council
FAVORITES:
Food: Watermelon with salt
Drink: Milk
Songs: "Ave Maria," "Paper Doll"
Boy friend: Military secret
Ideal: Madame Chaing Kai Chek
Actor: Spencer Tracy
Actress: Betty Grable
Singer: Jessica Dragonette
Ambition: Movie director
Hobby: Sports
Pet peeve: Mid-term exams
PERSONALS:
Height: 5 feet, 2 inches
Weight: 115 lbs.
Eyes: Hazel
Hair: Golden brown
Shoe size: 6

Visitor Considers School Superior

Supt. L. H. Bond of Spearman, Texas, visited Canyon High School Friday afternoon. Mr. Bond was "teacher-hunting" over the Panhandle and was in Canyon chiefly for this purpose.

Mr. Bond, a long-time friend of Supt. J. B. Speer, said, "This is a nice school, quiet, fine, has a good student body, and plenty of pretty girls!" He also complimented the students on their behavior between periods.

Hoopsters Want Pep Squad

Basketeers Take 40-15 Victory

In a battling skirmish against the College Training Detachment basketeers in the grade school gymnasium Tuesday night, the Eagles hoopsters ended with a triumphant victory of 40-15.

Those in the starting line-up were: center, Leslie Gordon; forwards, Spence Winn and Don Standley; guards, Max Bosley and Charles Taylor.

"The opposing team was one that Floyd Murray got together from the college purely to give our boys practice," said Coach Milton Sanders.

A queer quirk in this game was the fact that Bobby Dowd, who played guard on the first string until mid-term, played against his comrades in his first skirmish of his freshman year in college.

High-point man was Leslie Gordon, who led the field in scoring with fourteen points.

Alvis (Monk) Ford of Canyon refereed the game.

Since the game in Amarillo against Price College, the question of a cheering section at basketball games has been a topic of discussion among the student body. This question has been argued back and forth for days with no success. Some say it makes the team jittery and causes dis-coordination, perhaps loss of the game; but others who are for the cheering section believe it helps and inspires the team, and with good enough backing, may cause final victory.

To get some compromise between the two groups, a poll was taken last week among the basketball boys and the unanimous results were unbelievable. Only two out of seventeen are against the measure.

Coach Milton Sanders says, "I believe a cheering section would be a good thing. It seems to pep 'em up," while Supt. J. B. Speer expresses his opinion by saying, "I don't believe we could do too much to back the boys. I'd like to see a hundred and more students in the cheering squad."

It is believed a well organized cheering section such as that of the Price College Cardinals would add color and excitement to games as well as encourage the cagemen.

These are the opinions of those who know. Student body, what do you think; and what are you going to do?

Dowlen Presents Music Students

Music students of Mrs. Glenn Dowlen will present recitals during this week and the one following.

Beginning, Intermediate, and Advanced students will be presented on musical programs on Friday, February 4; Thursday, February 10; and Friday, February 11; respectively, at four in the music room of Canyon Grade School.

Everyone is cordially invited to attend, as much effort has been spared on the part of both teacher and pupils to make these programs a success.

GRADE NOTES

Dimes the grade school gave $30.66. Mrs. L. M. Cousins' class contributed the greatest amount, $11.65.

Mrs. Collins' class joined the March of Dimes 100%.

Highlight of the week for Mrs. Robert Orton's first grade was the showing of various necklaces and bracelets made of pure ivory cut with dainty and delicate designs. Mrs. Orton's husband, who is stationed in China, sent her these relicks of the Orient. He also included vases, coasters, jewel cases and trinkets made of pure copper painted with elaborate designs.

Exhibition of model airplanes is the outstanding feature of Mrs. Roscoe Davis' second grade. They have made an extensive study of kinds of planes and their uses.

Friday afternoon Mrs. Andy Walsh's Citizenship Club had its regular meeting. Bertha Lindsey gave an exhibition on Japanese slippers and chopsticks which a missionary brought over after the beginning of the war. Acting as program chairman, Walton Byrd conducted a Truth or Consequences Quiz on the different radio programs.

In Mrs. John Davis' room, the Red Cross Chapter is preparing a Sunshine Box for Imogene McDonald who is suffering from Infantile Paralysis. A newcomer in Mrs. Davis' room is Warren Schuler who hails from Estacado, Texas.

Probably the youngest 2nd Lts. in Canyon are Max Allen, Jerry Foster, and Martha Hales. These noteworthy officers have gained their ranks by holding the best score in spelling in the 6th grade class.

Fifth grade students are having their spelling grades recorded on a chart in the form of an airplane route. Farthest along on this route are Merle Bullard and Phyllis Littleton who have just arrived at Berlin!

Guest speaker of Mrs. Mitchell Jones' Citizenship Club last Friday was Dr. Cook, who told Uncle Remus stories to 5W and their invited guests, 5J, 6M, and 6D.

Nelda Ruthardt, Chairman of Thrift of Miss Florence McMurray's Citizenship Club, presented an original three-act play entitled "Sally Ann Learns A Lesson." Raymond Hinders also gave an original talk on "Doing Our Bit."

Students of Mrs. L. M. Cousins are working on a chair project. They are making the chairs from orange crates and covering them with bright colored cretonne.

THE REASON

Once a year the newsboys of a certain district of London were taken for an outing up the Thames by a gentleman of the neighborhood, where they could bathe to their heart's content.

As one little waif was getting into the water, a friend observed:

"I say, Bill, ain't you dirty!"

"I missed the train last year," regretted Bill.

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Chronic bronchitis may develop if your cough, chest cold, or acute bronchitis is not treated and you cannot afford to take a chance with any medicine less potent than Creomulsion which goes right to the seat of the trouble to help loosen and expel germ laden phlegm and aid nature to soothe and heal raw, tender, inflamed bronchial mucous membranes.

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No matter how many medicines you have tried, tell your druggist to sell you a bottle of Creomulsion with the understanding you must like the way it quickly allays the cough, permitting rest and sleep, or you are to have your money back. (Adv.)

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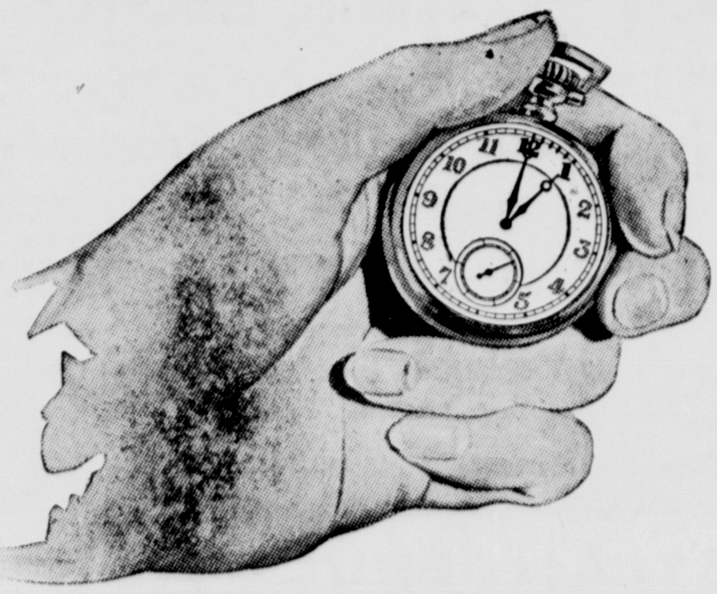
Minutes matter more in war



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"PLEASE LIMIT YOUR CALL TO 5 MINUTES"
There's a good reason for that. • It's to help everybody get better service. • And you can say a lot in five minutes. Maybe you can hold that next Long Distance call to three minutes. • That would be even better.
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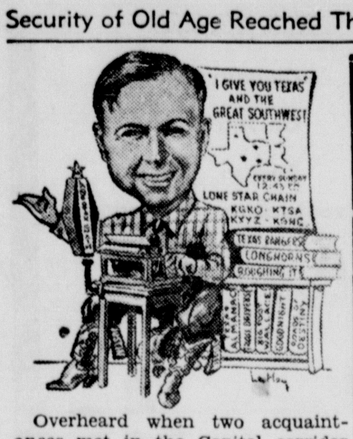

Overheard when two acquaintances met in the Capitol corridor in Austin, "How are you doing—and who?"

No doubt you saw in the papers where Mills County oversubscribed its Victory Bond quota the very first day. E. T. Fairman was chairman and Grover Dalton, bank cashier, co-chairman of the campaign.

Fairman is a banker, rancher, hardware merchant and funeral director—yet finds time for a vast amount of civic and patriotic work, serving on the draft board and as chairman of the Red Cross, the salvage drive and the War Bond campaign. His father settled near Goldthwaite nearly three-quarters of a century ago and ran a grist mill. A few years ago, E. T. Fairman bought the abandoned mill and used the stones to build a lodge and stocked the area with pheasants, as he enjoys inviting friends for a hunt.

Mills County is marketing something almost the year around: cattle, pecans, wool, mohair and many kinds of hides. From the highway, I saw one farm which marketed $7,000 worth of peaches; observed many trees literally loaded with persimmons nad admired many fine flocks of turkeys—and was presented with a 38-pound one for Christmas!

A special session is being considered on the soldier vote—something ought to be done about old age pensions. The checks are nearly $2.50 a month less than the grant—which is the amount that the State's own investigators, working under the State's own rules, say that the recipients need in order to meet the bare necessities of life. The State ought to quit short-changing our elderly citizens and pay the full amount of the grant. Even that would be only about 75 cents a day for food, shelter, clothes, medicine and other needs.

Pat Neff once beautifully referred to men and women whose hair had become gray as those "upon whose heads have settled the snow that never melts."

Highland News

Folks are rejoicing because the roads have dried off enough to travel on again and they are able to drive in their own yards. The Masons and Sharpes have been taking their produce to Amarillo by way of Umbarger and Canyon. The Potter County Highway Department pumped the water out of the lake in the road near James Walton's place and filled it up with caliche Saturday.

The Wildorado P. T. A. sponsored a Bond Rally and "42" party at the school house last Friday evennig.

The Highland Farm Bureau plan their regular meeting and social on Friday evening, Feb. 11, at the Highland school and will also sponsor a Bond Rally.

Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Fulton, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Mason and Lee, and Mr. and Mrs. Howard Fuqua visited at the Fuqua home Sunday.

Mrs. Carl Fuqua visited at the E. C. Paxton home Saturday evening.

Mrs. Allen and boys from Canyon moved to Wildorado Saturday and will take the place in the Wildorado faculty recently vacated by Mrs. Kimball.

Joan Fulton visited Erma Milhoan Sunday.

We always knew that money talks, and judging from recent releases from the Treasury Department the stuff can stand up and shoot, too!

Women have a sense of humor—the more you humor them, the better they like it.

He who laughs lasts in the best sort of company.

News for you about the WAC

WANT TO KNOW how the new WAC recruiting policies apply to you?

Want to know whether you're qualified for a special kind of Army job—whether you'd serve with the Air, Ground, or Service Forces—whether you could be assigned to the part of the country in which you enlist?

TODAY—get full details at the nearest U. S. Army Recruiting Station (your local post office will give you the address). Or write to: The Adjutant General, Room 4415, Munitions Building, Washington, D. C.

WE BOUGHT EXTRA WAR BONDS

4TH WAR LOAN

Every patriotic home in America will want to display this emblem. Paste it on your front door or on a window to show that you have done your part in the 4th War Loan.

Display your colors

Every patriotic home in America will want to put up this emblem!

THIS emblem is a symbol of your patriotism. It tells the world that you have done your full share in the 4th War Loan. Every true American will be proud to display it at home.

Our valiant fighting men . . . soldiers, sailors and marines . . . on every far-flung battlefront are on the attack . . . forging ahead steadily, relentlessly. Nothing on earth can stop them . . . IF WE BACK THEM UP!

Backing them up means throwing every dollar we can possibly spare into the fight *right now* . . . even if it takes sacrifice on our part.

That's the purpose of this 4th War Loan Drive.

To earn the right to display the 4th War Loan Emblem you must invest in at least one EXTRA hundred dollar Bond (at a cost of only $75) . . . over and above your regular War Bond subscription. But don't stop with *one!* Invest in all the extra Bonds you think you can afford . . . then invest in some more!

Remember, every dollar you put into War Bonds does double duty. It helps to win the war . . . and at the same time it insures your own financial security.

Here, too, is a chance to help your company meet its quota in this 4th War Loan.

Maybe this will mean sacrifice on your part. Maybe it will mean doing without something you want. But don't forget . . . while you are only *lending* a few spare dollars . . . thousands of our gallant fighting men are *giving* their lives *for you!* Show that you're backing them up 100%. Invest in *extra* War Bonds to the limit of your ability. And display the 4th War Loan Emblem at home!

BUILD YOUR FUTURE WITH THE WORLD'S SAFEST INVESTMENT

All over the country men and women look to the future with confidence. They are the ones who have put part of their extra wartime earnings into the world's safest investment—U. S. Government War Bonds.

Yes, they are helping their country in its grimmest struggle. But they are helping themselves, too! They are helping to secure their future, to weather any troubled days that may lie ahead.

What about *you?* Are you letting the dollars slip through your fingers—dollars that should be put safely away in War Bonds?

There are War Bonds to fit your needs . . . Bonds that are backed up by the strongest "company" in the world. Build that home you have always dreamed about. Send your child to college. Buy the wonderful things that are coming after the war.

YOU CAN DO IT WITH YOUR WAR BOND SAVINGS.

Let's All BACK THE ATTACK!

Chamber of Commerce
Canyon Rotary Club
Canyon Lions Club
Cleland Grocery
City Pharmacy
Imperial Chevrolet Co.
Cooper's 'M' System Store
Thompson Hardware Co.
Allen & Black
Randall Motor Company
Mickle Barber Shop
Britain's Studio
Cole & McGahey
Buffalo Drug
Consumers Fuel Association
Jarrett Drug Company
C. R. Burrow Lumber Co.
Canyon Tailoring Co.
Taylor & Sons
M. E. Moses
Southwestern Public Service Co.
Bob's Coffee Shop
Gamble & Cheatham
Buffalo Food Store
Olympic Theatre
A. W. Sternenberg
Bellah Food Store
Warren's
McDonald's Shop
First National Bank

TAYLOR & SONS COUNTRY STORE

Quantity Rights
On Highway
Canyon, Texas

ONIONS Yellow, 3 lbs White, 3 lbs. 22c Ceiling Prices 20c

APPLES Fancy Delicious, lb. While They Last 10c

ORANGES California or Texas, Sweet Juicy, Dozen 19c

CABBAGE Firm Heads lb. 3c

KOTEX Regular 2 Packages 43c

ALKA SELTZER 60c Size 49¢

ANTISEPTIC Pepsodent 75c size 59¢

MENS TALCUM 10c Size 3 for 10¢

ASPIRIN 10c Size St. Joseph 5¢

FACE POWDER 10c Size Woodbury or Jergen's, 3 for 10¢

MINERAL OIL St. Joseph Pint 39¢

Butter Swisher lb. 45c

Bacon Grade A Sliced, lb. 29c

Liver Fresh Calf lb. 27c

Roast No. 7 lb. 27c

GROUND BEEF, lb. 25c

No Points Hargis No. 2
Green Beans 10c

BORAXO, 2 for . . . 25¢

RINSO, Large . . . . 19¢

LUX FLAKES Small 2 for 17¢

PINTO BEANS U. S. No. 1 4 lbs. 29¢

PURE LARD Morrell 4 lbs. 59¢

SOAP, Lifebuoy, Bar . . 6¢

Canning Sugar
Stamp No. 40 in Book 4 is good for 5 lbs. through February 28th.

Sugar Sale
Pure Cane Cloth Bag 10 lbs. 59c

Garden Seed
Just received a huge shipment of FERRY Seeds.

FLOUR Sonny Boy 48 lbs. $1.99

PEAS Country Kist No. 2 Size 12¢

SALT Morton Round Box 2 for 15¢

SYRUP Ribbon Cane ½ gallon 59¢

Red and White Store

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SPECIALS FOR FRIDAY AND SATURDAY, FEB. 4-5 — WE RESERVE THE RIGHT TO LIMIT QUANTITIES

MEAT DEPARTMENT

Fancy AA Grade Baby Beef Chuck lb
Roast 28c

ROAST Fresh Pork Shoulder pound 29¢

WEINERS, Skinless, lb. 25c

SAUSAGE Pure Pork pound 32¢

BARBECUE, Boneless, lb. . . 40c
Gravy Free

HENS AND BAKERS — FRESH DRESSED

PORK CHOPS, Nice Lean Center Cuts, lb. 35c

Grade A (original package) lb
BACON 35c

COFFEE Red & White 1 lb. Glass Jar 29¢
Less 2c return on empty coffee jars

Super Soft
TOILET TISSUE, Per Roll . . . 5c

CHEESE, Shefford's, 5 oz. jar 16c
Pimiento, Olive-Pimiento and Relish

PEANUT BUTTER, Tommy Tinker, Quart Jar 37c

FLOUR, R & W, 10 lb. Sack 47c

LUX FLAKES, Large Box 22c

TOILET SOAP Lux 2 Bars 13¢

Lifebuoy
TOILET SOAP, 2 Bars 13c

FRUITS & VEGETABLES

Medium Size California doz.
Oranges 22c

Large No. 1 Texas Seedless dozen
Grape Fruit 49c

LETTUCE Nice Large Firm Heads 10¢

CELERY, Large Calif. Pascal 21c

CARROTS, Nice Bunches . . . 5c

KRAUT Fancy Wisconsin Bulk, lb. No Points 10¢

RATION STAMPS GOOD NOW: Sugar No. 30 and No. 40; Processed Food, G H J and K L M; Meat, Brown, V and W.

CORN, Brimfull Whole Kernel Golden, No. 2 Can 16c

MIXED VEGETABLES, Red & White, No. 2 Can 18c

PEAS, Brimfull, No. 2 Can 15c

TOMATO SAUCE, Hunt's, Two 8 oz. Cans 13c

SALAD DRESSING, Sunspun, Pint Jar 27c

OATS, R & W, Large Box . . . 11c

RAISINS, Red & White Seedless, 15 oz. pkg. 15c

MACARONI-SPAGHETTI, R&W, Three 8 ox. boxes 25c

LAUNDRY BLEACH, Laundrex, Quart Bottle 14c

RINSO, Large Box 21c

CHILI, Ellis, 15 oz. Jar 21c

DOG FOOD, My Mac, 1½ lb. Box 14c

Umbarger Items

Mrs. E. J. Friemel returned from Schulenburg last Tuesday were she attended her brother's funeral.

Mrs. George Brockman and children and Mr. and Mrs. George Vorwald and sons visited in the Otto Skarke home, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Tucek, Mrs. Lena Tucek and daughter and Alvin Friemel were dinner guests in the Clarence Beckman home, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Begert and family visited with Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Burgan, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Batenhorst and family were visitors in the John Brandt home, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Westhoff and daughters visited with Mr. and Mrs. Ben Buecker, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Beckman and daughters visited Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Beckman, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Gerken and family and Ludwig Gerken spent Sunday in the W. P. Jansen home.

Those exchanging visits Sunday were: Catherine Koch with Jo Ann Hollenstein; Albert Hartman with Albert Fischbacher and Martha Hoffman with Louisa Friemel.

Fairview Breezes

We have been enjoying some nice warm weather after a nice rain Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Wayne Wesley and son, Kenneth visited over the week end in the Harney Rogers home.

Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Whitson and son, Jimmy Don, visited from Thursday to Sunday in the parental J. W. Wesley home.

Those attending to business in Canyon Saturday were: Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Schaeffer, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Welcher, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Wesley, Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Whitson, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Sutton and Vesta Amerson.

Vesta Amerson and Evelyn Schaeffer visited Sunday in the F. O. Amerson home.

Mrs. S. F. Sharpes and Mrs. Dell Zachery entertained the Centerview Club ladies and their families with a "42" party Saturday night. About 30 guests were served with candy and roasted peanuts at a late hour.

Centerview Club will meet Feb. 4 at 3 p. m. in the home of Mrs. Fred Magness.

Misses Willie Marie Babb and Frankie Lou Goettsch have been transferred to Chicago office of Western Union. Willie Marie has just finished training in Amarillo Frankie Lou has been working in Amarillo during January after having spent three months in the Dallas office. Both girls are 1943 graduates of Canyon High School.

BUY MORE WAR BONDS.

Rusk Quizzes

Ensign Leon Smith of the U. S. Navy visited two days last week with home folks.

Mrs. Jack Cox and daughter, Kay, of Roswell, New Mexico, visited in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Smith, the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Nichols and children of Amarillo visited the O. A. Smith family the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Clem Dugan and Annelle called in the W. G. Rose home Saturday evening.

Callers in the O. A. Smith home Tuesday evening were Mr. and Mrs. Clem Dugan and children, Mrs. Goodnight, Mrs. Berry, and Robert Goodnight.

Dr. and Mrs. Roy L. Johnson and Don, Rev. J. Lowell Ponder and Bob Kilgore were dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Heath, Sunday.

Pvt. Cloise Childress from Wichita Falls is visiting his mother, Mrs. W. R. Childress. From here Pvt. Childress will report for further training in Salt Lake City.

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Patterson and Jimmie from Amarillo visited Sunday with Mrs. Patterson's sister, Mary Jo Knox.

Mrs. J. N. Peterson of Higgins is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Milton Morris.

Mrs. Mildred Kile is in an Amarillo hospital for medical treatment.

Political Announcements

For Sheriff, Tax Assessor and Collector:
W. L. LYONS
M. E. CANTRELL

For County and District Clerk:
A. B. HOLT

For County Judge:
A. H. HUNT

For County Treasurer:
MRS. ELZIE PRICE

For County Commissioner Precinct No. 1:
G. B. HEATH

For County Commissioner Precinct No. 2:
CLARENCE BECKMAN

For County Commissioner Precinct No. 3:
D. S. HILL

For County Commissioner, Precinct No. 4:
CALVIN CASEY

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THURSDAY - FRIDAY
Edw. G. Robinson—M. Chapman
in
"DESTROYER"
Also News — Selected Shorts
Adm. 11c-30c

SATURDAY
M. Vage — J. Craven
in
"Someone To Remember"
Adm. 11c-25c

SUNDAY — MONDAY
DOROTHY LAMOUR — DICK POWELL
—in—
"RIDING HIGH"
Also News — Selected Shorts
Adm. 11c-30c

TUESDAY - WEDNESDAY
Mary Lee — G. George
in
"NOBODY'S DARLING"
Adm. 11c-20c
Selected Shorts

THURSDAY - FRIDAY
Chas. Boyer — Joan Fontaine
in
"The Constant Nymph
Also News — Selected Shorts
Adm. 11c-30c